

# NEWS & NOTES

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## LOS ANGELES

Dr. Eliot Corday of Los Angeles was presented with the **Distinguished Fellowship Award** of the American College of Cardiology during the convocation ceremony of the 17th annual convention of the College. This is the third time in the history of the College that this award has been made. Dr. Corday was cited for "rare resourcefulness as a clinician, a teacher, an author and an administrator."

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Dr. Austin B. Chinn has been appointed professor of medicine and director of the Research and Training Center in Rehabilitation, Dr. Roger O. Egeberg, dean of the University of Southern California School of Medicine, has announced. Dr. Chinn comes to USC from the U.S. Public Health Service, where he served five years as chief of the gerontology branch in the Chronic Disease Division.

## ORANGE

The appointment of **Dr. Robert C. Combs** as associate dean for continuing medical education, UCI-College of Medicine, has been announced by Dean Warren L. Bostick. Dr. Combs formerly practiced in San Francisco where he was associate clinical professor of surgery at UC San Francisco Medical Center. He is a past president of the San Francisco Medical Society and of the California State Board of Medical Examiners. At UCI, Dr. Combs will hold concurrent appointments as clinical professor of Surgery at the College of Medicine and coordinator for **Orange County's Regional Medical Program**.

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The third annual **postgraduate seminar**, presented by the **Childrens Hospital** of Orange County, Orange, will be held 21 and 22 June 1968, at the hospital facilities. Further information may be obtained from Dr. Merl J. Carson, Childrens Hospital of Orange County, 1109 W. La Veta, Orange, California 92668.

## A NEW AUDIO-DIGEST SERVICE

The Audio-Digest Foundation, a non-profit subsidiary of the California Medical Association, is planning to add tapes of particular interest for Otorhinolaryngologists to its present group of subscription tape recordings, beginning on or about 1 September 1968. As with the other specialty programs, the ENT series will be issued twice each month, with each program one hour long. Editorial contents consist primarily of on-the-spot recordings from principal national specialty meetings, as well as condensations of recordings direct from post-graduate courses presented at leading teaching centers.

ENT specialists interested in becoming Charter Subscribers to the new service should indicate their intention by writing Audio-Digest Foundation, 619 S. Westlake Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90057, for order forms and information.

## SAN DIEGO

A guest faculty from the National University of Ireland Medical School will be featured at the **San Diego Academy of General Practice 1968 Annual Post-Graduate Symposium** at Vacation Village in San Diego on May 11 to 12. Further information may be obtained from Dr. Thomas R. Early, President, San Diego Chapter, California Academy of General Practice, 3240 Main Street, Lemon Grove, California 92045.

## SAN FRANCISCO

**Dr. Robert M. Featherstone**, professor and chairman of the Department of Pharmacology, School of Medicine, University of California San Francisco Medical Center, has been appointed consultant in pharmacology and toxicology to the National Institute of General Medical Sciences. Institute director Dr. Frederick L. Stone said that Dr. Featherstone will help develop a national program through research and training programs in pharmacology and toxicology.

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The **American Industrial Health Conference** to be held at the Hilton Hotel in San Francisco, April 22 to 25, encompasses the annual meetings of the Industrial Medical Association and the American Association of Industrial Nurses.

## YOLO

Appointments of **six new members** of the **School of Medicine faculty** at University of California, Davis, and the naming of Dr. Douglas D.

Vollan as **coordinator for Regional Medical Programs (RMP)** in heart disease, cancer, stroke, and related diseases were announced from the university recently.

**Dean C. J. Tupper** said that Dr. Vollan will assume responsibilities for RMP in the 23 Northern California and Nevada counties covered under a planning grant to Davis from the Division of Regional Medical Programs, National Institutes of Health. RMP is organized in California around the state's eight medical schools.

The faculty appointments were as follows:

- **Dr. Loring F. Chapman** — professor and chairman of the department of behavioral biology. Dr. Chapman comes to Davis from the National Institutes of Health where he was chief of the behavioral biology branch of the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development.

- **Dr. Louis W. Conway**, an associate professor of neurological surgery at the Medical College of

Virginia, has been named assistant professor of neurosurgery at Davis.

- **Dr. Robert E. Smith**—assistant professor of physiology. Dr. Smith was at the University of Kentucky College of Medicine as assistant professor of physiology and biophysics.

- **Dr. G. Henry Schmitt**—assistant professor of pharmacology. He was an assistant professor of pharmacology at Kentucky.

- **Dr. Thomas L. Volk**, appointed assistant professor of pathology, was assistant professor in the department of pathology and oncology at the University of Kansas Medical Center in Kansas City.

- **Dr. Lois F. O'Grady**—instructor in internal medicine. Dr. O'Grady comes to Davis from the faculty of the University of Illinois College of Medicine. Besides teaching at Davis, she will be working with associate professor Dr. Jerry P. Lewis in studies of bone marrow recovery following radiation damage and bone marrow transplantation.

